PATENT APPLICATION *SPW*

IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

January 27, 2005

Applicants : Hiroyuki KOMATSU et al
Title : VEHICLE DOOR AND MANUFACTURE THEREOF
Serial No. : 10/808 100 Group: 3612
Confirmation No.: 4164
Filed : March 24, 2004 Examiner: Gutman
Atty. Docket No.: Ace Case 7A

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- [.] Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.
[] The additional filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

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Total Claims	(6 - 20 = 0)		x	\$ 50.00	x	\$ 25.00
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[] Multiple Dep. Claim			+	\$360.00	+	\$180.00
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- [] Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a), please extend the shortened period for response by month(s). The extension fee is: \$.
- [] A Check for \$ is enclosed to cover fees.
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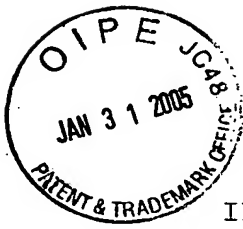
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RESPONSE

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 2, 2004,
please amend the above-identified application as follows:

(Please see following pages.)

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